

Arisia needs your help!!!

We're fundraising to cover a settlement of a hotel dispute. This is a fight for Arisia's future and we need your help.

Remember the Boston Park Plaza? Last year, we were there because the Arisia community voted to respect the hospitality union and not cross picket lines to work on our convention.

The Marriott challenged our interpretation of the contract to allow this move and we lost the case in binding arbitration. The judgement was crippling.

After more negotiations, Arisia agreed to pay significantly less. We need to come up with a final payment of \$40,000 by March 1st — still more than we have!

Three weeks ago, we started a fundraising drive and the response has been extraordinary. However, we still have more to go!

Visit the table near the Dealers Room to donate or donate at corp.arisia.org/donate

Thank you for being part of the future of Arisia!!!

IRT is here to help!

The Incident Response Team (IRT) is dedicated team to help with Code of Conduct violations and member behavior issues.

Here's how to reach them:



Visit them in Quincy on Lobby Level (2 West)



Incidents@arisia.org



Call or Text 617-657-9756



In case of immediate danger Pick up any hotel phone and dial 0.

For active intervention and other security issues, contact The Watch. For more info, visit arisia.org/ProblemReporting

Any Arisia staff with a white ribbon will either take your report or help you find someone who can respond to the problem.

Emergency contacts are on the back of your badge!!!

Follow us for more news!







@arisiainc

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Thank You!

Lots of kudos to the 20+ people who helped with load-in! Arisia wouldn't be happening without you. <3

Calling All Volunteers!

Team Arisia needs your help!

8 hours of volunteering earns you an exclusive Arisia T-shirt.

12 hours of volunteering earns you membership for next year!

Help with load-out earns you 2x hours after 3pm Monday.

Come to Team Arisia HQ in Revere on Lobby Level (2 West) to volunteer.

Newsworthy news? Email us at newsdesk@arisia.org

Feedback

Your experience is important to us! Constructive feedback helps us improve the con.

Scan this Or go here arisia.org/feedback

Registered Attendees as of 7 pm Thursday

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Schedule & Maps

Find con maps and program info in the Guidebook app!

Get the app and guide at guidebook.com/g/arisia20

More cool stuff on back!



Ground Rules

No sleeping in the lobby!

First Aid

If it's more severe than anything you'd handle at CVS, tell The Watch so we can get you an ambulance!!

Drinking in the Hotel

No BYOB in public spaces! Only alcohol purchased at the hotel can be consumed in public.

No Vaping or Smoking

This includes newly legal items. You will be charged for damages.

Elevator Use

Please only press the button for the direction you want to travel! Pressing both buttons will force an elevator to make an unnecessary stop and slows down everyone! Thank you for your patience.

Changes

Open Play Fri 4-6 PM | Hancock & Webster

Fast Track Open Play time has been changed (not 5:30-7:30)

10 Things I Wish I'd Known Before My First LARP Fri 5:30 PM | Lewis

Rebecca Slitt will not be on this panel. David Olsen will moderate

The GM-less Game Fri 7:00 PM | Lewis

Rebecca Slitt will not be on this panel. Shaheen Rogers/ Multiverse has been added as a panelist.

CircleSinging Fri 8:30 PM | Bullfinch

Kat Weiler will not be at this session.

Open Parties

Check out these themed parties happening this evening! This is not an exhaustive list!
Check standing sign boards throughout the con for details and other parties.

407 — House of Toast

447 — Cookie Decorating Party

Publications

For Arisia Progress Reports, printable schedule, hardcopy publications, and a digital version of this newsletter, visit: arisia.org/publications